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37 CFR § 1.116

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re Application of:

Milind Rajopadhye

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For: **Vitronectin Receptor Antagonist Pharmaceuticals**

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Examiner: **V. Balasubramanian**

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**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER
TO THE BOARD OF APPEALS PURSUANT TO 37 CFR § 1.192**

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Appeals from the Decision of the Primary Examiner mailed **June 16, 2006** finally rejecting claim **1** of the above-identified patent application.

The item(s) checked below are appropriate:

- ☐ Applicant(s) has previously claimed small entity status under 37 CFR §1.27.
- ☐ Applicant(s) by its/their undersigned attorney, claims small entity status under 37 CFR §1.27 as _____ :
- ☒ Petition is hereby made under 37 CFR § 1.136(a) (fees: 37 CFR § 1.17(a)(1)-(4) to extend the time for response to the Office Action of June 16, 2006 to and through December 16, 2006 comprising an extension of the shortened statutory period of 3 months.

	SMALL ENTITY		NOT SMALL ENTITY	
	RATE	FEE	RATE	FEE
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NOTICE OF APPEAL	\$200	\$	\$500	\$500
<input type="checkbox"/> ONE MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME	\$60	\$	\$120	\$0
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- ☒ Applicants are paying the 3-month extension fee in connection with a concurrently filed response in a separate paper, so please only charge Deposit Account No. 23-3050 in the amount of **\$630.00** (=\$1650 - \$1020).
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby requested to grant an extension of time for the appropriate length of time, should one be necessary, in connection with this filing or any future filing submitted to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office in the above-identified application during the pendency of this application. The Commissioner is further authorized to charge any fees related to any such extension of time to Deposit Account No. 23-3050.

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